

## THE BUTTE OFFICE

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## BUTTE RAILWAY GUIDE

MONTANA UNION.		
	Leave.	Arrive.
Helena Express.....	7:50 a.m.	12:30 p.m.
Montana Union Express.....	2:35 p.m.	6:55 p.m.
Anaconda Express.....	10:40 p.m.	10:15 a.m.
Anaconda Express.....	6:25 p.m.	3:45 p.m.
Union Pacific Fast Mail.....	4:30 p.m.	2:35 p.m.
Union Pac. Eastern Ex.....	7:00 a.m.	6:30 a.m.

  

MONTANA CENTRAL.		
	Leave.	Arrive.
St. Paul Express.....	6:30 p.m.	7:45 a.m.
Helena Accommodation.....	11:40 a.m.	8:30 p.m.

  

CLOSING AND ARRIVAL OF MAIL.		
	Arrive.	Leave.
Mail for California and the Southern States.....	7:30 a.m.	7:40 a.m.
Mail for East via M. C. Ry.....	2:30 p.m.	2:40 p.m.
Mail for East via M. C. Ry.....	2:30 p.m.	2:40 p.m.
Mail for West via N. P. Ry.....	6:30 p.m.	6:40 p.m.

## BUTTE CURRENT NOTES.

H. O. Wilson, Union Pacific agent at Helena, was in the city yesterday.

The jury in the Bell-Speculator case yesterday completed the work of examining the witnesses.

John Cubit of Taylor, Nev., is visiting friends in the city.

Deval the man who was found dead in the lowlands yesterday will be buried from Sherman at 2 p. m. to-day.

The city inspector of weights and measures is on the warpath once more and is finishing his inspection of scales and measures begun a few weeks ago.

The elevator in the new Owsley block will be operated by an electric motor. The power to run it will be furnished by the Silver Bow Electric Light company.

Harry Siegel, the incorrigible young hoodlum who has been repeatedly arrested for petty larceny, is in jail once more. He was placed under arrest Saturday evening for stealing a quantity of lumber.

Fred Wey thinks it is cheaper to furnish his own electric light than to buy light from either of the electric light companies. In accordance with this idea he bought a complete incandescent plant while East, which will be placed in the basement of his new hotel.

## FREEMAN HOWE'S CONDITION.

A Change for the Better—Dan Dietrich May Die.

BUTTE, Nov. 15.—A change much for the better occurred to-day in the condition of Freeman Howe, the Montana Union engineer. This morning he gave signs of returning consciousness and recognized one of the attending physicians. A consultation was held to-day, at which it was decided not to put the broken and mangled arm unless it was found later on that it was absolutely necessary to save Howe's life. It is now thought the arm will heal up, but it will always remain stiff.

Dan Dietrich, the man stabbed Friday night, was reported to-day by his physician to be in a critical condition. The doctor said, however, that it would be several days before a definite opinion could be given as to the final ending of the case. The present danger seems to consist of a liability of pleurisy, symptoms of which are manifesting themselves.

## Charged With Horse Stealing.

BUTTE, Nov. 15.—Yesterday evening Andy McKenzie, residing near Silver Bow Junction, was arrested by Special Constable Swanson on a warrant charging him with horse stealing. The complaint was filed by Ben Degenhart, who lives near Pipestone Springs. The animal alleged to have been stolen by McKenzie is a mare which was running at large near Degenhart's ranch and is claimed by Degenhart. A short time ago McKenzie, who was working for T. C. Miles, living below Silver Bow, went to Pipestone and drove away the mare and turned her over to Miles, who said she belonged to him. Degenhart claims that when he had the mare she was branded "M." which since then, he says, has been changed by Miles to make it appear like a diamond. A brand answering the description of the latter is visible on the mare, which at present is in possession of Miles and running with his band of horses. McKenzie has a letter from Miles directing him to go to Pipestone and get the mare and deliver her to him. Miles claims that Degenhart is mistaken and says the mare never belonged to him. McKenzie is out on bonds.

## Only Little Pieces Left.

BUTTE, Nov. 15.—The remains of the three Chinamen who were killed last Thursday by the explosion of powder in Jefferson county were brought to this city for burial early this morning by Schmidt & Solverson. The remains must have been gathered up with a rake, for the Chinamen were blown literally to pieces. Of one there was nothing left but the trunk of the leg, one is minus an arm and the top of the head, while the arms and legs of the third are completely denuded of flesh. These fragmentary pieces will be interred in the Chinese burial ground at 2 o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

## Stole an Overcoat.

BUTTE, Nov. 15.—E. J. Ryan stole an overcoat to-day from the Capital lodging house, but instead of wearing the garment himself he sold it to another man. The loss of the coat was soon discovered and Officer Carroll found it on a man who said he had bought it, and volunteered to accompany the policeman in search of the man who had sold him the coat. In a little while Ryan was found in one of the five-cent joints in East Park street, where he was spending the money received for the coat. He is booked at the county jail for petty larceny.

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## THINGS TALKED ABOUT

Comanche Was Well Known to Many People in Montana.

## COULDN'T WHIP THE JUDGE

State Law Against Employing Women in Saloons—How Mike O'Donnell Was Badly Scared.

BUTTE, Nov. 15.—Several days ago the death of the famous old war horse, Comanche, was telegraphed from Kansas City and the erroneous statement was made that for 14 years he had been kept at Fort Riley, Kas. Comanche was the only survivor of the great battle of the Little Big Horn, fought in 1876, when General Custer and his command of the gallant Seventh cavalry were swept from the earth by Sitting Bull and his horde of Sioux. The noble old horse was covered with wounds when found and was taken to Fort Abraham Lincoln, then headquarters of the Seventh, where he was kept a few years, and when regimental headquarters were removed from Fort Lincoln to Fort Meade, Comanche was also transferred and continued to be the special charge of the regiment. Many people now residing in Butte have seen the old horse at Fort Meade, where he received the homage of officers and enlisted men. Nobody was ever permitted to ride him, but on the occasion of every review, inspection or parade Comanche was always in line, bridled and saddled and led by a trooper, usually at the head of the column. In 1887, for long continued and hard service, the Seventh was transferred from the department of Dakota to Fort Riley, and again Comanche followed his regiment. At the latter post the members of the "Fighting Seventh" anticipated many years of well-earned rest and ease as a reward for their good service rendered in the Northwest. Last year, however, when the Sioux again broke out the regiment was ordered back once more into the territory occupied by its old enemy, and at the battle on Wounded Knee creek one of its bravest and most gallant officers, Capt. George D. Wallace, was killed and several other officers and men were killed. When the fight of the Little Big Horn took place Wallace was a lieutenant and would probably have shared the fate of most of his comrades had he not managed to make his escape before the work of annihilation was completed, by getting on a horse with Frank Guard, the noted scout. The two ran the quickest successfully, and Guard was the first one to carry the news to the outside world of that terrible massacre.

Eugene Sullivan, the city building inspector, has been knocking around in the mining camps of the West for many years, and like all old-timers has an inexhaustible fund of stories and anecdotes of the early days. He was in the police court a few days ago when a man was being tried for assault and battery. "I wonder if that fellow will do as a man did I once knew in Nevada," said "G. ne." "He had been fined by a justice of the peace for some offense, and a long time afterward he went to the same justice's office and asked him how much it would cost to give a fellow a good licking. Mr. Justice said that \$20 was about the amount required. 'Well, here is the money and I'm going to lick hell out of you,' replied the man, and he laid a \$20 piece down in front of the justice. The judge was a scrapper himself, and it took him only a little while to give the other fellow such a whipping as he probably never received before. When he got through with him the judge let the fellow get up, who commenced making for the door as fast as he could. Before he reached the door the judge told him to stop, and said: 'Say, I'll only charge you \$2.50 for this, for you didn't lick me.' The fellow took his change and left."

A member of the city council remarked to-day that if the matter of closing up the Clipper Saloon is to be brought up next Wednesday night, he thinks it would be a good idea to enforce the law strictly and close up all places of the kind. There is a state law which forbids women from being employed in any capacity where liquors are sold. This law, if enforced, would close every beer hall which has female waitresses in the city. The alderman in question thinks it the proper thing to close them all up now.

Mike O'Donnell who a few days ago sold his half interest in the Hope mine to a syndicate of Helena capitalists, with E. D. Edgerton at the head, had a serious scare the night he received his money. O'Donnell is a hard working man who never had more than a few dollars at any one time and when he received the \$50,000 he could scarcely credit his senses. He had money placed to his credit in Clark's bank and took a certificate of deposit for the total amount. He did not feel like staying at the hotel that night and for companionship went home with Angus McQueen. During the evening while seated in the dining room O'Donnell took out all his papers and showed them to McQueen. Among the papers was the certificate of deposit which, unnoticed by either, floated to the floor. Mr. McQueen's bright little 2-year-old was playing on the floor, picked up the \$50,000 certificate and, as is customary with infants, put it in her mouth. Presently O'Donnell began putting away his papers and as they were folded up one by one, the certificate of deposit was missed. They searched high and low all over the room. When they were about to give up in despair and Mr. O'Donnell saw the vision of a competency for his declining years fast disappearing, the innocent child seemed to divine what was wanted, pulled the crumpled certificate from her mouth and stretched it out to her father. The two men howled in frantic glee as they found the \$50,000 certificate, none the worse except for the marks of the child's teeth.

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## ALL FOR PLEASURE.

Money Spent for Drink in the Saloons of the City.

BUTTE, Nov. 15.—While everybody is aware of the fact that an immense sum of money is spent daily in the saloons and other places of amusement in the city, only a few have an idea of the real immensity of the amount. Should anybody be asked how much he thought was spent every day in Butte for fluid happiness and cigars he would probably answer, "a good deal," but that would be as far as he could venture in guessing. How much is really spent in this manner probably nobody knows, but it is a much greater sum than even the wildest statistic would imagine. While talking to one of the men who conducts a concert saloon in the block bounded by Park, Main, Clinton and Western streets, a day or two ago, a STANDARD reporter was given a slight insight into the real magnitude of the business done by these places. Said the man referred to:

"Lately I have been doing a little figuring for my own amusement and the results that I arrived at convince me that for a number of inhabitants more money is spent in Butte for pleasure than in any other city in the country. The figures I made apply only to the concert saloons in this block and astonished even myself. Do you know that the actual daily expense of conducting these places is not less than \$1,000 a day? This applies only to the real cost of running the houses, and how so many manage to keep up is more than I can understand. The \$1,000 are for rent, light, fuel, help and other necessary outlays and do not include the personal expenses of the proprietors of the saloons. Not one of the places can be run for less than \$100 a day, and most of them run up higher, some of them figuring up as much as \$140 a day. Just think of it; \$1,000 every day in the year for actual expenses and you can form an idea of the amount of money spent in one block alone. Of course none of us are running saloons for our health, so the amount of money taken in by us is a great deal more than the actual expenses, for if we didn't make more than expenses we would close up and go into some other kind of business. We all eat and live well, and most of us like the best of everything, and this, you know, costs a great deal in Butte. During the summer when times were dull I expected to see a number of the saloons close up, but they managed to pull through and what is more, all appeared to be moving. Now that times are better again and money freer, you can form your opinion of this business we do and guess what we must be doing when we made money during the dull times."

## ELEVENTH ANNUAL SESSION

Meetings of the Montana Christian Association at Deer Lodge.

BUTTE, Nov. 15.—To-morrow morning the eleventh annual session of the Montana Christian association will close at Deer Lodge. Some of those attending from Butte returned to-day and report an interesting meeting. The association represents every society in the Christian church, and this city is represented at the meeting by E. H. Ervin, J. L. Vincent and Mrs. Sh. Shire as church delegates, and Messrs. Jones and Weis and Mrs. T. P. Ervin were there in the interest of the Sunday school, and besides the delegates nearly every officer of the church was in attendance as an ex-officio member. The meeting of the association was originally to have been held on the second of Thursday in October and at Anaconda, but was changed by the executive committee to the present time and at Deer Lodge. The session commenced on Thursday morning, and U. B. Mumford of Butte responded to the address of welcome by Prof. J. H. Meyers of Deer Lodge. The day was devoted to religious services, and on Friday forenoon the session was taken up with miscellaneous business and the reports of committees and treasurer. In the afternoon the Sunday school convention was in session, and on this occasion Wiley Montjoy of this city delivered an address on the "Object of Sunday School Conventions." The evening session was devoted to the interest of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, and was continued yesterday morning. In the afternoon the C. W. B. M. convention met, and Mrs. Ella E. Butler of Butte was upon the program in response to an address of welcome by Mrs. Manie B. Mills of Deer Lodge, but Mrs. Butler was unable to attend, and her place was filled by another lady. At the afternoon session yesterday Mrs. J. L. Vincent of Butte read an essay on "Missionary Work as Related to Our Personal Interests," and in the evening worship was led by Mrs. J. S. Wathey, also of this city. To-day was devoted entirely to religious services, concluding the morning exercises with the administration of the Lord's supper by Rev. J. N. Smith of Helena and Rev. Eli Fisher of Missoula. J. E. Langston of Butte conducted the Y. P. S. C. E. services in the evening. To-morrow morning the convention will conclude by cleaning up unfinished business.

## AT MAGUIRE'S.

Preparations for the Grand Spectacular Drama, "The Sea of Ice."

BUTTE, Nov. 15.—Great preparations are being made for the presentation of the great spectacular play, "The Sea of Ice," at Maguire's some time in the latter part of the week. It will be an elaborate production, and work on the special scenery has been going on for several months. As it is not yet completed the day of the event has not yet been named. Following "The Sea of Ice" will come a number of extra strong attractions. On Monday, the 23d, the President company will be here for two nights and a matinee, and on Wednesday the Carlton Opera company will begin a four nights' engagement, with two matinees, on Thanksgiving day and Saturday. On the Monday following, November 20, the great U & I company will come for two nights, and will be followed for the remainder of the week by the Grismer-Davies company. The attractions immediately following the above bookings are Kate Claxton and Kate Putnam, and together the list comprises an incomparable lot of first-class attractions.

## Stole a Harness.

BUTTE, Nov. 15.—A man giving his name as John Bradley was arrested this afternoon by Officers Cantwell and Carroll for stealing a set of harness. The officers were told that Bradley had stolen the harness and sold it for \$6, but were unable to find out who the purchaser was. In order to hold Bradley until more evidence against him can be secured, he was locked up in the city jail and a charge of vagrancy entered against him.

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## DONNING THE BLUE RIBBON

Many Agree to Give Up Drinking Intoxicants—Speeches by Different Orators—A Lively Meeting.

BUTTE, Nov. 15.—The regular Sunday afternoon gospel temperance meeting was held to-day at the Murphy Union reading rooms. There was a large attendance of young men and others who listened to the wise words of counsel that fell from the lips of several speakers.

J. B. Knight conducted the meeting. He spoke with great force upon the evil tendencies of the age and the temptations which beset the path of young men. He related his personal experience with the liquor habit and told how he had been eased by it and the awful struggle which he made to free himself from its thralldom. "Our dealings with one another," said Mr. Knight, "should partake more of a charitable nature. We should not always look through fault-finding glasses at our brother and continually be on the alert to discover some flaw or shortcoming in his character. Remember the pregnant words of Christ when the multitude reviled him for raising the fallen woman; 'If there be one among you that is a sinner, let him cast the first stone.' We see men every day who have beans in their own eyes as big as two-bit pieces and yet unconscious of the fact and are pointing out the mote in the eyes of their neighbors. There is no person so degraded, so vile and so lost to a sense of honor and shame, but who possesses some commendable trait, which shines a ray of light over the dark blackness of their soul. Let us try and discover what these lofty traits of character are and judge of the man from that standpoint. Let our estimation of humanity be based upon its virtue instead of its vices. We should look upon the better side of a man and thus draw our conclusions, and as far as possible overlook his faults, certainly not commenting upon them. We will then bring our brothers into closer harmony and be following out our divine master's precepts of loving one another. But alas, how many of us are so wrapped up in the mantle of selfishness that we little think of lightening the load of some weary traveler on the pathway of life." The speaker then referred in most scathing terms to the liquor traffic and the men who are engaged in it. He spoke of the power which it wielded in politics, saying, "The tribe of Demetrius everywhere keeps a zealous eye upon any attempt to take away its occupation." The meeting was also addressed briefly by Rev. Mr. Squires and Rev. Mr. Graves, by President Johnson and Miss Stoner. Each of these speakers made a strong appeal to all assembled to abstain from using strong drink in any form. At the conclusion of the meeting some 20 or 30 signed the pledge and donned the blue ribbon.

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